

# I Owe My Life to PE-RU-NA

Mr. McKinley's letter brings cheer to all who may be suffering as he was. Read it:

"I can honestly say that I owe my life to Peru. After some of the best doctors in the country gave me up and told me I could not live another month, Peru saved me. I was suffering from a severe case of malaria, and had been in bed for weeks. I had lost all my strength and was unable to get up. I had been told that I was dying, and I was sure of it. But when I took Peru, I felt a new life in me. I was able to get up and walk. I was able to eat and sleep. I was able to live. I owe my life to Peru. I owe my life to the Society of U. S. Jewellers."

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## LEONARD BRIDGE

During the blizzard Saturday the chimney at Postmaster Charles C. Carpenter's home caught fire. After much stubborn fighting the blaze was put out without doing any damage. Postmaster Clark with his parents was burned out in the blizzard of 1888 and he doesn't care to have the experience repeated.

Miss Marjorie Collins, teacher in District No. 11, spent the week end with her mother, Mrs. Mary J. Collins, in Willimantic.

News has been received of the sudden death of Harry Adams at Staten Island from cerebral hemorrhage. The body was taken to Hartford, where funeral services were conducted at his residence at 15 Quaker Lane Thursday at 2:30 p. m. He is survived by his wife, Mrs. Ida Grant Adams, and a daughter, Mrs. Walter C. Hathaway of Brooklyn, N. Y., also a sister, Mrs. Martha L. Smith of East Haddam. Mr. Adams has two cousins in this place, Mrs. Otto Nettleton and Mrs. David

Walsh. Miss Mary J. Watrous of East Hampton, now her 94th year, last week tripped in coming up the cellar stairs and fell, breaking her leg between the hip and knee. A doctor reduced the fracture and Miss Watrous was resting comfortably at last reports. Miss Watrous sent three weeks in this place last fall as the guest of Mrs. David Walsh and her friends here greatly regret her serious accident.

Saturday was the first day this winter that the R. F. D. carrier, Kenneth L. Cummings, failed to get to the postoffice on account of bad weather. Otto A. Nettleton and David Walsh were in Willimantic Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Watrous of Hartford were recent guests of the former's brother, George D. Watrous. Misses Emily Watrous and Lillian Newberry were recent Willimantic visitors.

## CAMPBELL'S MILLS

Charles Barber of Plainfield has been spending several days at his place here.

Mrs. Alvin Duffin is ill. Miss Martha Gray is employed in the family of Earl Gilbert at Jewett city.

Owing to the continued illness of her mother, Miss Margaret Tanner is still unable to resume her duties as teacher of the Ekron school. The school will remain closed until Miss Tanner's return.

Misses Lucy Gray and Dorothy Scranton of Voluntown were recent callers at Mason Gray's.

Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Brown recently visited their parents at Voluntown. Miss Marion Blackless spent the week end with friends at Voluntown. Traffic in this place has been blocked for several days owing to huge drifts of snow. The rural delivery mail carrier has been unable to complete his route since last Friday. Men are at work opening the main roads.

# WESTERLY

The Italian section of Westerly was in turmoil in the first hours of Wednesday when the innocent were aroused from peaceful slumber by the frequent discharge of firearms directed by the officers at the fellows who escaped and attempted to escape arrest, for breaking into freight cars and of stealing therefrom general merchandise.

For a long time, in spite of the vigilance of the railroad and local police, cars were broken open and the contents stolen at Bradford. In the town of Westerly, it is claimed that upwards of \$15,000 worth of goods had been stolen while in transit at these places, where freight cars had been placed on sidings. The officers were satisfied that most of the stealing was done at Bradford.

About a week ago, Captain E. D. Roche of the railroad police, and Thomas E. Brown, chief of the Westerly police, were in consultation and Chief Brown suggested that two of the railroad police be detailed for night service at Bradford, and that a detective Italian be engaged to work with the suspects, supposed to be Italians. This plan was adopted.

Sergeant C. T. Greene and Patrolman Richard Parkinson were assigned to Bradford. Wednesday night these officers saw a gang of men break open an enter a car, leaving one man outside to act as guard. The railroad officers, with the assistance of Special Officer Alexander Thompson of the Westerly police, captured the guard, and closed the car door, supposing that they held captive the men in the car. The captured guard was Joseph M. Ricci, an Italian, and he was taken to the railroad tower. From that point word was sent to Captain Roche at New London.

Captain Roche summoned Railroad Officers Cunningham and Geary and County Detective William E. Jackson at New London, and arrangement was made to run the "lollypop" train of an engine and coach, with Midway as destination, through to Bradford. In the meantime, Police Chief Brown was notified and requested to meet the train at the Westerly station, and be prepared to proceed to Bradford, with members of his force. Chief Brown responded with Sergeant Ferguson, and Patrolmen Mitchell, Chase, Curfin and Champlin. When the party arrived at Bradford, they learned that the men who had been confined in the freight car, had concentrated revolver fire at a point in the end of the car, until they made a hole large enough to get a hold on the boards, tear them away, and make their escape. It was also learned that the fellows had returned to Westerly.

The officers with Joe Murano, prisoner, returned to the Westerly police station, where raiding plans were arranged. Some houses were visited and searched and there were arrested: James Gundione, Marion street, Bragzi Gradelino, 6 Pierce street, Frank Grana, Tower street, Peter Terren-

ra, 66 Oak street, Mariano Strofessis, 66 Oak street, Salvatore Polidino, 66 Oak street. The police have the names of several other persons implicated in the thefts.

Stolen goods of the aggregate of \$25,000 were recovered and brought to the police station. The stock includes women's, men's and children's wearing apparel, cuts of cotton and woolen and some linen, cigars, cigarettes and candies. Searching parties are out with prospects of increasing the amount of goods recovered, and additional arrests.

It is known to the police that quantities of stolen goods are still secreted. For several months, especially since the burning of the Harrows building on the bridge parties have been offering shoes, shirts, and clothing for sale, stating that the goods were purchased at the first sales, were not returnable, and were too large or too small, for the party offering the same for sale at low prices. It is believed these goods were stolen from freight cars, and the police are busy investigating.

There were more men in the freight car at Bradford, than those now in the Westerly police station and a special effort is being made to locate them.

The goods recovered by the police in the homes of the men arrested, were not stolen on Tuesday night, but on some previous occasion. These breaks have been going on to a more or less extent since early in January, when by reason of the heavy storms freight cars have been placed on sidings, to remain there for quite a while, from two days to a month in duration. Monday thirteen cars were broken open on the siding near Bradford.

It is presumed that the men arrested, and some others, are concerned in the breaks, all of which were planned in advance, and guided by a leader who is known and who is at present at liberty. It is also believed that this form of stealing is controlled by an organized gang, extending from New York to Boston, with a central head, ranging like the one at Westerly, forming the several units.

Inspector Kearns, of the Railroad police, with Captain Roche, Sergeant Greene, County Detective Jackson and Chief Brown, received statements from the men arrested, and much information was received that will tend to break up the system of thefts that prevails along the line of the railroad. The cars were broken open and goods stolen in violation of federal law in regard to theft of goods while in interstate transportation. Therefore, it is probable that the men will be taken by the United States marshal, and the cases disposed of in the United States court at Providence.

At the 122d annual meeting of the Grand Chapter of Royal Arch Masons of Rhode Island, held Tuesday in the Masonic Temple, Providence, off-

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Officers were elected as follows: James A. Rogers, grand high priest; Howard R. Slade, deputy grand high priest; Howard N. De Wolfe, grand king; Arthur G. Newell, grand scribe; William H. Scott, grand treasurer; William B. Greene, grand secretary; Grand High Priest Rogers announced these appointments: Wilbur A. Scott, assistant grand secretary; George H. Thomas, grand chaplain; Horace A. Richardson, grand lecturer; Norris G. Abbott, grand captain of the host; Donald E. Speers, grand principal squire; Fred W. Hilton, grand royal arch captain; Jerome H. Tucker, grand master of the third veil; Arthur Whitehead, grand master of the second veil; Walter H. Nichols, grand master of the first veil; Albert L. Jordan, grand senior steward; Adolphe E. Pace, grand junior steward; Warren L. Turner, grand musical director; Lynn W. Feich, grand sentinel.

Representative Martin of Newport presented a resolution amending the soldiers' bonus act by providing for a \$25,000 appropriation to pay a \$100 bonus to yeomen. On a roll call the resolution was voted down 19 to 29, the yeomen voting solidly against. Speakers on the majority side declared this would complicate the bonus machinery and jeopardize the success of the \$25,000,000 bond issue.

Representatives of Providence both said they were in favor of giving a bonus to yeomen but that the Martin resolution would not serve the purpose. They were confident that a better bill would be reported back by the finance committee and passed.

Mr. Davis said he was heartily in favor of giving yeomen a bonus but the amendment offered by Mr. Martin would only tangle the matter and that, if passed, no money could be paid under it. Mr. Martin said he thought Mr. Davis was just looking for an excuse not to vote for the bill.

A resolution was unanimously adopted at the meeting of the town council of South Kingstown, opposing the bill pending in the senate judiciary committee which was presented by Senator Maurice W. Flynn of Westerly providing for alternate sessions of the superior court for Washington county at Westerly and Kingstown. It was stated that a similar bill had been presented in the state legislature for several years past but had been defeated or pigeonholed by the committee. It was held out to change the present plan to alternate sessions would not only put the jurors, court officials and witnesses to an inconvenience in travel but it would mean an additional expense to the state. It was also charged that Westerly people had boasted that eventually all sessions of the court would be held in Westerly.

C. Palmer Chapman was in the Third district court, before Clerk M. Walter Flynn on complaint of Frank G. Booth, deputy game warden, charged with shooting two deer Feb. 7 on property not under his care or control. Mr. Chapman pleaded not guilty and the case was continued to April 16 for trial. Bail was furnished in the sum of \$200, with Lewis Stanton as surety.

Under a warrant issued by the federal court, Prohibition Agent William J. Cahill visited the rooms of the Young Men's Italian club in Rose avenue Tuesday night and seized a jug containing a gallon of wine. The club has a membership of 145. So far as could be learned no other place in Westerly was raided.

John Malencon, arrested on the charge of stealing a block tackle and falls, the property of the George C. Moore company, before Judge Oliver H. Williams in the Third district court, pleaded not guilty and furnished a bond of \$200 to appear for a hearing next Friday morning.

## STONINGTON

The athletic association of the Stonington high school, following the action of the Westerly high school years ago, of having no more to do in the sport line with Ballou of New London, voted to end all athletic relations with the Westerly high school. This refers to baseball as well as football. It has been arranged to play the Memorial day baseball game at Stonington with La Salle academy team of Providence.

Stonington Pointers. William Sylvia and Richard Sylvia have recently been discharged from the navy and the army. They are sons of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Sylvia, who had five sons engaged in the world war.

Augustus Sylvia has arrived from St. Michael's, West Indies, and will make his home with his brother in the borough.

Judge Elias B. Hinckley attended the session of the Connecticut Probate Judges' association in Hartford Tuesday and Wednesday.

Rev. Mr. Goldie of Yantic preached the Lenten sermon in Calvary Episcopal church Wednesday evening.

The 1920 sewing circle met Wednesday evening at the home of Mrs. Albert Young.

The meeting of the social chain of the First Baptist church was held at the residence of Mr. and Mrs. Thaddeus W. Brown.

The Wednesday afternoon whist was held with Mrs. Oscar P. Pondston at her home on Main street.

## EAGLEVILLE

The teachers of the village school visited the school of Tolland street last Friday.

Miss Pauline Chaulker spent the week end with friends in Willington. Miss Amy Ross of New London is visiting her sister, Mrs. F. O. Vinton.

# Spring Opening

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WEDNESDAY AND THURSDAY



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## NORTH STERLING

The blizzards almost come in the houses looking for food.

The blizzard of Saturday filled the roads again. A force of men shoveled out the main route Monday.

School at the Titus district began Tuesday after a long vacation owing to illness of the teacher and the roads being blocked with snow.

Deer are looking thin and in a weak condition, as they have had but little to eat for some time.

Mrs. William Fisher is confined to the house by illness.

N. J. Wood is recovering and is able to be around the house.

## EAST WOODSTOCK

David Aldrich, who has been ill the past week with congestion of the lungs, is improving.

Members of the Stone and Darling families have been ill with grip the past week.

William Richardson, who has been at Walter Reed hospital, Washington, D. C., for more than a year, has received his honorable discharge and is at the home of Roscoe Alton for a while.

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A FRIEND RECOMMENDED THEM. A person often does more good than he realizes when he tells a suffering friend how to get well. J. N. Tashit, clerk Little Hotel, Evansville, Ind., writes: "For weeks I suffered constantly with pains in the muscles of my thigh. I was treated by the doctor for rheumatism but found no relief. Upon recommendation of a friend, I tried Foley Kidney Pills and began to get relief almost immediately. Good for backache, rheumatic pains, stiff joints. Lee & Osgood."

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